

## **MINUTES**

### **INDIANA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**

**JUNE 6, 2008**

#### **I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

Dr. Burns called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. in the Professional Licensing Agency Conference Room W064, Indiana Government Center South, 402 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, and declared a quorum in accordance with Indiana Code § 15-5-1.1-6(c).

##### **Board Members Present:**

Jill Burns, D.D.S., President  
Lavene Whitmore, L.D.H. B.S., Vice President  
Galen Williams, D.D.S., Secretary  
Richard T. Newton, II, D.D.S.  
Gary Haller, D.D.S.  
Theodore Rokita, D.D.S.  
Philip Catey, D.D.S.  
Steven Hollar, D.D.S.  
Matthew Miller, D.D.S.

##### **Board Members Absent:**

Charles Heape, D.D.S.  
Clance LaTurner, Consumer Member

##### **State Officials Present:**

Cindy Vaught, Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency  
Kristine Yarde, Assistant Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency  
Liz Brown, Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

#### **II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda, as amended.

HOLLAR/WILLIAMS  
Motion carried 9-0-0

#### **III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM THE MAY 2, 2008 MEETING OF THE BOARD**

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the minutes of the May 2, 2008 meeting of the Board, as amended.

WILLIAMS/MILLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

#### **IV. APPEARANCES**

##### **A. PROBATIONARY**

1. **Tammy Bacon, L.D.H., License No. 13005564A**  
**Administrative Cause No. 2008 ISDB 0005**

Ms. Bacon appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her probationary status. She advised that she had previously submitted a letter to the Board confirming that Candace Backer, Indiana Dental Wellness Program, does not counsel dental hygienists. Ms. Bacon has submitted a request to the Board to enroll in the Alpha Resource Counseling Center. She was enrolled in this program last fall. The Board asked Ed Rosenbaum, Indiana Dental Association Wellness Program, to review the Alpha Resource Program to determine whether it was suitable for her needs and meets the Board's requirements.

2. **State of Indiana v. Teresa M. (McCrady) Goodman, D.D.S., License No. 12010271A**  
**Administrative Cause No. 2006 DB 0003**

Dr. Goodman appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding her ongoing probationary status. Dr. Goodman told the Board she was recently married and things are going very well. Dr. Goodman reported the medication she is currently taking and that she will have two years of sobriety May 14, 2008. The Board noted that Dr. Goodman is in compliance with all aspects of her probation order.

3. **State of Indiana v. Daniel J. Fink, D.D.S., License No.**  
**Administrative Cause No. 2006 DB 0006**

Dr. Fink appeared before the Board, as requested, regarding his ongoing probationary status. Dr. Fink stated he was still living in Kentucky and is not taking any medications. Dr. Fink reported that his proposed supervising monitor will be Dr. Joe Francis. Dr. Francis will be taking over his practice located in Evansville and that he would be working for him. According to Dr. Fink, Dr. Francis is licensed as a dentist in Indiana but currently practices in Illinois. Dr. Fink said that his old practice is available and they are in negotiations to use that location. Dr. Fink told the Board that Dr. Francis his new partner is fully aware of the requirements listed in the probation order. The Board told Dr. Fink they felt it would be a good idea for Dr. Francis to appear with him at his next probationary appearance. If Dr. Fink submits Dr. Francis as his supervising monitor, Ms. Vaught would send a letter to Dr. Francis with a copy of the Probation Order and that he would need to submit a statement to the Board that he understands his position as the monitor and what he is required to provide the Board. Dr. Fink asked the Board about reducing his number of personal appearances to quarterly because his order states that after six months he can petition for modification of the number of personal appearances. The Board told Dr. Fink to submit a written request for modification in writing and an administrative hearing would be scheduled.

#### **B. APPLICATION**

No appearances were scheduled for applications.

#### **C. RENEWAL**

No appearances were scheduled for renewals.

**V. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**

- A. State of Indiana v. Jim D. Frankos, D.D.S., License No. 12009561A**  
Administrative Cause No. 2003 DB 0001  
Re: Request to Withdraw Order of Probation

**Parties and Counsel Present:**

Respondent was present and was not represented by an attorney  
Krista Jewsberry, Deputy Attorney General for the State of Indiana  
Felicia Warren, Court Reporter

**Participating Board Members:**

Dr. Burns (Hearing Officer)  
Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S.  
Dr. Williams  
Dr. Newton  
Dr. Miller  
Dr. Hollar  
Dr. Catey  
Dr. Rokita

**Case Summary:** Respondent's license was placed in Indefinite Probation for five (5) years by the Board on April 14, 2005. On April 2, 2008, the Respondent submitted a written request to petition the Board for a hearing to withdraw the Probation Order. Respondent testified to the Board that he has complied with all aspects of his Probation Order. He fulfilled his contract with the Indiana Dental Wellness Program and passed all urine drug screens. He has attended all meetings and therapy sessions and continues to attend AA meetings. The Respondent told the Board he exercises regularly and does all he can to maintain his sobriety. He stated he has had no arrests or relapses since being placed on probation in April 2003. The Respondent affirmed to the Board how grateful he is to be practicing dentistry and that he knows how close he came to losing the privilege to do so. The State had no objections or concerns with the Respondent's request.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant the Respondent's request for removal of the probationary status.

NEWTON/WILLIAMS  
Motion carried 9-0-0

- B. State of Indiana v. Trevor Treasure, D.D.S., License No. 12010719A**  
Administrative Cause No. 2007 ISDB 0002  
Re: Request to Modify Order of Probation

**Parties and Counsel Present:**

Respondent was present and was not represented by Counsel  
Heather Kennedy, Deputy Attorney General  
Felicia Warren, Court Reporter

**Participating Board Members:**

Dr. Burns (Hearing Officer)  
Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S.  
Dr. Newton  
Dr. Miller  
Dr. Hollar

Dr. Catey  
Dr. Haller  
Dr. Rokita  
\*Dr. Williams recused himself

**Case Summary:** The Respondent petitioned the Board to request a modification of his probationary order. He testified that he voluntarily surrendered his DEA registration two years ago and has been contacted by the DEA about getting it back. He explained that not having his controlled substance privileges has caused a hardship with his work at Indiana University School of Dentistry. He cannot supervise the students in the clinic because he cannot sign off on prescriptions and that is the same situation with regards to the residents and interns in the hospitals. He told the Board he still has privileges at three hospitals. The Respondent stated he has been in full compliance with his ISMA contract and all urine drug screens have been negative since April 12, 2006. The Respondent asked the Board to grant him permission to seek the reinstatement of his controlled substance registration and advised he will provide the Board with logs of all his prescriptions. The Board noted they had received a letter from the Respondent's supervisor in support of his DEA reinstatement. The State did not object to the Respondent's request as they felt there are safeguards in place to monitor him.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to modify the Probationary Order and allow the Respondent to seek reinstatement of his controlled substance registration and his DEA.

NEWTON/HALLER  
Motion carried 8-0-1  
Dr. Williams abstained

**C. State of Indiana v. Mobile Care 2U**  
Administrative Cause No. 2008 ISDB 0004  
Re: Petition for Review of the Board's Denial of Mobile Dental Facility

**Parties and Counsel Present:**  
Richard Wenz, CEO Mobile Care 2U  
Robert Caird, D.D.S.  
The State of Indiana was not represented  
Felicia Warren, Court Reporter

**Participating Board Members:**  
Dr. Burns (Hearing Officer but recused herself)  
Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S.  
Dr. Williams  
Dr. Newton  
Dr. Miller  
Dr. Hollar  
Dr. Catey  
Dr. Haller  
Dr. Rokita

**Case Summary:** Mr. Wenz petitioned the Board for a hearing due to the Board's previous ruling to deny Mobile Care 2U a registration as a mobile dental facility in the State of Indiana. Mr. Wenz told the Board Mobile Care 2U is headquartered out of Kansas City, Missouri and has been in business for nine (9) years. He stated they have only been in Indiana and particularly the Indianapolis area for about three (3) months. Mr. Wenz explained their mission is to provide quality dental services to the

elderly population in nursing homes. He stated this is a much needed service because these people have limited access or ability to obtain dental care. He stated at this time approximately thirty (30) nursing homes, primarily in central Indiana, have asked for their services. Mr. Wenz stated they currently have one dental team in Indiana which is headed by Dr. Caird. All of the equipment is carried in one mobile unit. The Board expressed concern about having only one team for such a large area. Mr. Wenz stated they are interviewing now to create more teams. The Board expressed concerns about their ability to respond to emergency situations. Mr. Wenz entered into evidence Exhibit "A" which was the emergency call guidelines. He noted that some revisions had been made because they understood the Board's previous denial was due in part to the system they were using. He explained a nurse at the home will call their 24 hour emergency hotline and the operator collects the information and then contacts an on-call clinical coordinator. The clinical coordinator will then contact the facility to determine the true nature of the emergency. The Board asked if the clinical coordinator is a dentist and Mr. Wenz stated one is a former dental hygienist and the other was a dental assistant. The Board stated they did not feel these people should be making a determination about whether something is an emergency. Mr. Wenz stated there is a list of questions they ask and the answers will determine what type of an emergency exists. He stated that most times these calls are not true emergencies however if a dental emergency exists the clinical coordinator will then contact the on-call dentist who then contacts the facility to determine the next course of action. The Board asked how quickly they can respond to an emergency with such a large area to cover. Dr. Caird stated the on-call doctor will respond to a home within twenty-four hours for an emergency and they network with local dentists in the area of the homes as well. The Board noted they did not submit any names of dentists they network with on their application but claim to have a 3-deep backup for the on-call dentist to ensure coverage. Mr. Wenz stated when they become more established in Indiana they will have a 3-deep back-up in place but do not at this time. Mr. Wenz stated they use the Indiana Oral Surgery Group for referrals within Central Indiana. The Board asked why they just use oral surgeons and not regular dentists who do follow-up care and preventative dentistry. Mr. Wenz stated they are primarily in the Indianapolis area and are just starting to branch out and make new contacts. The Board asked how and where the patient records are kept and Mr. Wenz stated all records are kept at 8500 West 110<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 450 Overland Park, Kansas but are available to dentists electronically. The Board expressed concerns about how a local referred dentist is going to have access to a patient's medical records. Mr. Wenz entered into evidence Exhibit "B" which was a letter of reference from a nursing home that states they have entered into a contract with Mobile Care 2U to provide dental services to their residents. Mr. Wenz stated the types of services they offer include exams, x-rays, twice yearly cleanings, simple extractions, and dentures. They guarantee quarterly visits to the homes but it could be more frequent. Residents or their legal guardians can fill out an application and receive services and the exams are billed to insurance. The patient can renew the contract from year to year and they are the dentist of record until they hear otherwise. The Board asked why they have already been providing services in Indiana without a license to do so. Mr. Wenz explained in the other states there are no license requirements and they had begun their work in Indiana a few months ago not realizing that they needed a license. As soon as they learned it was necessary they submitted the application. The Board asked them about their knowledge of Indiana laws and Mr. Wenz said they will become familiar with the law to make sure they are doing things appropriately. The Board stated their desire to protect the citizens of Indiana and felt that Mobile Care 2U has exhibited inadequate knowledge of the law and did not answer their questions to their complete satisfaction. The Board again expressed dissatisfaction with their ability to handle emergencies.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to deny the petition for review for registration of the mobile dental facility for Mobile Care 2U.

MILLER/HALLER  
Motion carried 8-0-1  
Dr. Burns abstained

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to forward a complaint to the Attorney General's Office.

MILLER/WILLIAMS  
Motion carried 8-0-1  
Dr. Burns abstained

**VI. SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS**

There were no settlement agreements before the Board.

**VII. NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEFAULT**

There were no Notices of Proposed Default before the Board.

**VIII. ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

**Secretary-** A motion was made and seconded to nominate Dr. Miller as secretary of the Board.

HOLLAR/ROKITA  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**Vice President-** A motion was made and seconded to nominate Dr. Burns as Vice President of the Board.

WILLIAMS/HOLLAR  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**President-** A motion was made and seconded to nominate Dr. Williams as President of the Board.

MILLER/NEWTON  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**IX. OLD/NEW BUSINESS**

A. Ms. Vaught asked the Board a question posed in an email from Dr. Eckstein asking if expanded duty dental assistants, under supervision, can perform adjustments to removable appliances. The Board responded "yes" an expanded duty dental assistant can perform adjustments if they are properly trained and the dentist has evaluated the removable appliance.

**X. DISCUSSION**

A. Dr. Burns discussed forming a subcommittee to address dental intern permits. Dr. Miller, Dr. Hollar, Dr. Williams, and Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S. agreed to work on this. Dr. Burns also asked if anyone wants to help Dr. Heape work on rules for mobile dental

facilities. Dr. Williams advised he has worked in nursing homes and is aware of the problems so he will help. Dr. Haller noted that there is a geographical issue with mobile dental facilities and it should be defined in the rule. The Subcommittee working on dental intern permits advised they will work on the mobile dental facility rules as well. The Board determined that all future completed mobile dental facility applicants will have to make a personal appearance before the Board prior to licensure.

## **XI. APPLICATION REVIEW**

### **A. Endorsement**

#### **1. Patricia A. Evans, L.D.H.**

The Board reviewed the application file for licensure by endorsement of Patricia A. Evans, L.D.H. Ms. Evans was in attendance at this meeting for any questions the Board may have regarding her application. Ms. Evans previously held an Indiana dental hygiene license which expired on March 1, 2004. Ms. Evans continued to practice dental hygiene since the time her license expired at an Indiana dental practice for all but a few months. Because her license was expired more than three (3) years and she had not been in continuous practice she had to reapply for a license. Ms. Evans told the Board that a lack of communication led her to believe her license was renewed in 2004 by her employer Dr. Guido. At the time of the 2006 renewal she stated she was not working for nine (9) months due to a broken femur. Ms. Evans told the Board she first became aware her license was expired in April 2006 when she contacted the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency. Ms. Evans stated she ceased practicing upon learning this information and began to reapply. When asked by the Board, Ms. Evans stated her employer did not ask for proof of an active license. Advisory Counsel, Liz Brown told the Board that under 828 IAC 1-3-5, Ms. Evans is not eligible to apply for licensure by endorsement and will have to apply by examination. She will then be required to retake a regional examination that is accepted by the Board. The regional examination currently used by the Board is Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS).

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to deny Ms. Evans a license by endorsement.

**WHITMORE/HOLLAR**  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to forward a complaint to the Attorney General's office against Ms. Evans and her employing dentists.

**WILLIAMS/HOLLAR**  
Motion carried 9-0-0

### **B. Examination**

#### **1. Nathan J. Hawk, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Hawk's application file by examination. Dr. Hawk is a 2006 graduate from the University of Kentucky. He has passed National Boards in 2006 and 2007 and the Southern Regional Testing Agency Examination (SRTA) in 2008. On his application he answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" In a written statement Dr. Hawk explained

in 1997 he was charged with a misdemeanor for underage drinking. He pleaded guilty and completed twenty (20) hours of community service.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Hawk a dental license upon successful completion of the law examination.

WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**2. Gavin Anthony Schill, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Schill's application file by examination. Dr. Schill is a 2008 graduate from the Indiana University. He passed National Board in 2006 and 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2006 and 2008. On his application he answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" In a written statement, Dr. Schill explained in January 1999 he was convicted of a misdemeanor for illegal consumption. He completed all the requirements mandated by the Court.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Schill a dental license upon successful completion of the law examination.

WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**3. Amanda Lynn Stafford, L.D.H.**

The Board reviewed Ms. Stafford's application file by examination. Ms. Stafford is a 2008 graduate of Indiana University south Bend. She passed the National Board Examination in 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2008. On her application she answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Ms. Stafford explained she was arrested in January 1998 for minor consumption and was convicted of the misdemeanor.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Stafford a dental hygiene license upon passing the law examination.

WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**4. Jack Summerlin, III, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Summerlin's application file by examination. Dr. Summerlin is a 2008 graduate from the Indiana University. He passed the National Boards in 2006 and 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2007 and 2008. On his application he answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Dr. Summerlin explained he answered "yes" in error. In 2001 the final court ruling dismissed his 2001 charge of minor consumption and conversion.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Summerlin a dental license upon passing the law examination.



WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**5. Nicole L. Sweet, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Sweet's application file by examination. Dr. Sweet is a 2008 graduate from Indiana University. She passed the National Boards in 2006 and 2007 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2006, 2007 and 2008. On her application she answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Dr. Sweet explained in March 2002 she was charged with illegal consumption. The misdemeanor charge was dismissed after pleading guilty and accepting pre-trial diversion.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Sweet a dental license upon passing the law examination.

WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**6. Kristin Tara Branam, L.D.H.**

The Board reviewed Ms. Branam's application file by examination. Ms. Branam is 2008 graduate from Indiana University. She passed the National Boards in 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2008. On her application she answered "yes" to question 4a asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to a violation of any Federal, State, or local law relating to the use, manufacturing, distribution or dispensing of controlled substances?" She also answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Ms. Branam explained in 1995 she went camping with a boyfriend and another couple. They were arrested by a conservation officer and she pled guilty to possession of marijuana and illegal consumption of alcohol.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Branam a dental hygiene license upon passing the law examination.

WILLIAMS/HALLER  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**7. Michael N. Harris, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Harris's application file by examination. Dr. Harris is a 2008 graduate of Indiana University. He passed the National Boards in 2006 and 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2007 and 2008. On his application he answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony in any state?" In a written statement Dr. Harris explained in June 2002 he pleaded guilty to OWI, a Class A misdemeanor. He completed all court mandated requirements. In October 2003 he was arrested for public intoxication and completed all court requirements. In April 2004 he was charged with OWI, a class A misdemeanor and served 88 days home detention followed by one (1) year of probation.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Harris a dental license upon passing the law examination.

**WILLIAMS/HALLER**  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**8. Leonard Walter Ostrowski, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Ostrowski's application file by examination. Dr. Ostrowski is a 2008 graduate of Indiana University. He passed National Boards in 2006 and 2008 and the Western Regional Examining Board Examination (WREB) in 2008. On his application he answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Dr. Ostrowski explained in April 2006 he was arrested and charged with theft, public intoxication, and resisting law enforcement after leaving a comedy club. He stole an unlocked bicycle and ran from police. Dr. Ostrowski was ultimately found guilty of resisting law enforcement.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Dr. Ostrowski a dental license upon passing the law examination.

**WILLIAMS/HALLER**  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**9. Amber Marie Wilburn, L.D.H.**

The Board reviewed Ms. Wilburn's application file by examination. Ms. Wilburn is a 2008 graduate of the Indiana University of South Bend. She has passed the National Boards in 2008 and the Northeast Regional Boards (NERBS) in 2008. On her application she answered "yes" to question 4a asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to a violation of Federal, State, or local law relating the use, manufacturing, distribution or dispensing of controlled substances?" She also answered "yes" to question 4b asking, "Have you ever been convicted of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to any offense, misdemeanor or felony, in any state?" In a written statement Ms. Wilburn explained in February 1997 she drove her then boyfriend to a place where he could purchase LSD. She was convicted of Possession of a Schedule I Controlled Substance and upon completion of the court mandated requirements the felony conviction was modified to a Class A misdemeanor in January 2006.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant Ms. Wilburn a dental hygiene license upon passing the law examination.

**MILLER/WILLIAMS**  
Motion carried 9-0-0

**C. Anesthesia and Sedation Permits**

There were no anesthesia and sedation permits.

**D. Dental Intern Permit**

**1. Hugh Flanagan, D.D.S.**

The Board reviewed Dr. Flanagan's renewal application for his dental intern permit. He is an instructor at Indiana University Northwest and the Board noted that all of his paperwork is in order.

**Board Action:** A motion was made and seconded to grant the renewal of Dr. Flanagan's dental intern permit.

WILLIAMS/MILLER  
Motion carried 8-0-1  
Dr. Burns abstained

**E. Mobile Dental Facility**

There were no mobile dental facility applications to review.

**F. Instructors License**

**1. Andrea Ferreira Zandona**

Dr. Zandona has filed a request for an Instructors License at Indiana University School of Dentistry. Dr. Zandona is a 1990 graduate from the Pontifical Catholic University of Parana. Dr. Haller found that Dr. Zandona has not submitted an application and fee and other related documents as required by IC 25-14-1-27.5 and 844 IAC 5-1-1. The Board requested that Ms. Vaught send a letter to Ms. Zandona and Indiana University School of Dentistry advising them of what is needed in order to complete the application for review.

**G. Professional Corporations**

There were no professional corporation applications to review.

**XII. PROBATIONARY REPORT**

**A. Penelope Dunlap, D.D.S.**

Dr. Catey reviewed Dr. Dunlap's probationary file. Her monitoring of practice report for May 2008 was reviewed and accepted.

**B. Christopher Leonard, D.D.S.**

Dr. Williams reviewed Dr. Leonard's probationary file. His report from the Indiana Dental Well-Being Program for May 2008 and work site monitor report from Jerry Hickman, DDS for March, April and May 2008 was reviewed and accepted. Dr. Leonard's next appearance is set for July 11, 2008.

**C. James Cahillane, D.D.S.**

Dr. Williams reviewed Dr. Cahillane's probationary file. His report from the Indiana Dental Well-Being Program for May 2008 was reviewed and accepted.

**D. Bland Pope Walker, D.D.S.**

Dr. Williams reviewed Dr. Walker's probationary file. His report from the Indiana Dental Well-Being Program for May 2008 was reviewed and accepted.

**XIII. CONTINUING EDUCATION**

There were no continuing education applications for review.

#### **XIV. REPORTS**

- A.** Dr. Williams told the Board he welcomes any feedback regarding the discipline guidelines he devised.
- B.** Dr. Miller reported to the Board that at the last Controlled Substance Advisory Committee he attended they discussed the INSPECT prescription monitoring program and some misuses that have occurred. He advised they have not discussed Dr. Treasure's CSR yet.
- C.** Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S. shared with the Board an email she received from Mary Jane Mesmer. Ms. Mesmer provides continuing education courses in dental offices on topics such as OSHA, CPR, and ethics and she had some concerns she shared about things taking place in dental offices. Ms. Whitmore, L.D.H., B.S. would like to get the word out to let people know about the new legislation and what it means and when the new laws can be implemented in the practices. She would like it posted on the Indiana State Board of Dentistry website. Dr. Burns suggested a mass emailing and the Indiana Dental Association said they can look into doing a mass mailing as a recruitment measure to the dentists who are not currently members of the IDA. The Indiana Dental Hygienist's Association said they would post information on their website and will submit a list of frequently asked questions to Ms. Vaught to post on the IPLA Dental Board website. A suggestion was made by Rhonda Henning with Indiana University Northwest saying that a message written from the Board and distributed to everyone may be more universally understood because everyone would be getting the same information.

#### **XV. ASSOCIATION REPORTS**

##### **A. Indiana Dental Association**

They advised they did not have a report.

##### **B. Indiana Dental Hygiene Association**

They advised they have a list of questions to submit to the Board for review.

#### **XV. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, and having completed its duties, the meeting of the Indiana State Board of Dentistry adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

  
Jill Burns, D.D.S., President

9-5-08  
Date

  
Galen Williams, D.D.S., Secretary

9/5/08  
Date